

Circuit Maker

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Athletics

Although the athletics carnival had been postponed until September 12 it did not dampen the enthusiasm of the participants. The day was cool but in some ways ideal for those keen to display their athletic prowess. It was great to see so many students in their house colours and taking part in the athletic and novelty events.

Congratulations to the Phys Ed team on an awesome carnival! It was a great day and so great to see so many students having a go at various events. A highlight for one staff member was seeing Nemia Koko entering the Triple Jump but trying to back out at the last second for fear of embarrassing herself. After some encouragement, she gave it a go and came 2nd in her age group! Awesome!

Thanks to Ms Whiteside and the Student Council for the donation of their time and the funds from the sausage sizzle to the NASA fund! It was an extremely generous effort that will be much appreciated by those students who are lucky enough to be going to NASA next year. Between the sausage sizzle and the bake sale, we raised over \$1150 so thanks to everyone who bought some food through the day.

We especially want to thank those students who participated in any events as all events earned points for YOUR house.













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Individual Awards			
Girls Gift	Kyah Chirichilli		
Handicap Sprint	(Year 8)		
Boys Gift	Lei Wang		
Handicap Sprint	(Year 9)		

Overall Track & Field House Totals					
Place House Points		Points			
1 st	Vulcan	1970			
2 nd	Terra	1776			
3 rd	Neptune 1646				
4th	Jupiter	1406			

'Spirit Cup' Novelty Events House Totals					
Place	House	Points			
1 st	Neptune	261			
2 nd	Jupiter	234			
3 rd	Terra	204			
4th	Vulcan	182			

Year	Champion Girl	Runner Up Girl	Champion Boy	Runner Up Boy	MVP
7	Kayla Sullivan V	Jorja Venema N	Patrick Catley N	Austin Watson V	Ren Allen T
8	Kyah Chirichilli N	Sarah Burke T	Samuel Nguyen T	Izzak Bolton J	Vaughn Cooper J
9	Alexandra Stein V	Zakiya Draper J	Kiarn McCarthy J	Blake Coleman V	Braiden Clarkson V
10	Stacey Rowe V	Kaiysha Robinson T	Shimran Sabackic V	Richard Lu N	Thomas Catley N
11/12	Caitlyn Hill T	Ashlyn Nichols V	Angus Dethridge N	David Catley N	Tarrant Venema N

Year 8 Soccer

On 7 August a team of boys set out to dominate the field. Our team was well equipped with players who could score, defend and run hard. We scored goal after goal against all the schools. Our final game was the decider. If we won, we'd finish as champions, if we drew, we would win on goal percentage, and if we'd lost, we'd go down to John Forrest. With a questionable injury and time wasting, our boys went down by a goal. We're so proud of the team and their efforts nonetheless and they represented Hampton to the best of their abilities. Our coaches and umpires did a great job looking after the team and the game - Jason Le, Kien Nguyen, Dion Vanderputt. We had a few parents come down to support and cheer us on.



Year 8 Basketball (Boys)

Two boys teams represented Hampton on August 7 at the lightning carnival. Both teams played well but unfortunately finished middle of the field. Thanks to the boys for their efforts and to the senior school coaches and umpires.





Basketball

At the Year 8 girls lightning carnival all girls participated at a high level, showed great sportsmanship and represented Hampton at a high standard.



Lower school north of the river champion schools finals

Both boys and girls teams finished 8th, showed great spirit and represented Hampton to the highest standard.





Volleyball

We sent one team to compete in the Year 8 girls volleyball lightning carnival in August. On the day we played teams from John Forrest and Mount Lawley. We were competitive in all the games with a vast improvement in the skills from the beginning to the end of the day. We started with a small on court training session running some drills where the girls were energetic and enthusiastic, this tone carried throughout the day with a strong win against the Mount Lawley team. There were some amazing individual performers and excellent team work and sportsmanship from all participants.

Outdoor Recreation

During Term 3 the Year 12 Outdoor Recreation classes participated in the Cape to Cape Camp. The students had to set up their tents at night after they had hiked some of the track between Cape Leeuwin and Cape Naturalist. This two day camp is part of the assessment for this course and most of the students enjoy the walk along the coast as long as the weather is not too wet and cold. They also had a stop off at the famous Busselton Jetty









Robocup

A select contingent of students attended RoboCupJunior this year, being selected from the trials at TechFest at the end of Term 2. We had two Secondary Rescue, one Secondary Open Rescue (the more complex one), a new Maze category and the very stressful Soccer category with two teams.

At the end of Friday, Hampton Strikers (Yr10) were top of the table in their category - Janrey, Zac H, Kallan, Declan and Sami Abbas. The Irrationals missed the finals on Saturday, but did well too. We are very proud of the way all of the boys conducted themselves through the competition. Of special note was the journal maintained by the Soccer teams which so impressed the 'Scrutineers' who checked their robots, that they kept one as an example!!

Although the Rescue teams weren't too confident of being in the finals, it was an exciting surprise to see that the Year 8 team "The average chimpanzees" Corway, Frank R and Emmanuel were in the finals as well as the Yr 10 soccer team "Hampton Strikers". Ever the optimist that we will be in the finals, Mr Garara and Ms D'Cunha had carried home all the equipment, so we were off early on Saturday once again.

Drum roll please....

the Soccer games were nail-biting. Sadly no medals - but still winners to us.

the Rescue team felt that they hadn't done that well and we packed up to go.... Ms D'Cunha was still waiting for a parent to arrive when she heard that Hampton had a chance in the top three! A desperate phone call later (hands free of course)..... the robots took a U turn on the freeway (thank you Mr Garara) and were back in time for a final round with two of the three team members AND THEY WON THIRD PLACE! Our very first medals in Rescue (Bronze). Congratulations to Corway, Frank and Emmanuel.

Thank you to teachers who permitted disruptions to classes in the last couple of days prior to the competition. A huge thanks to Mr Garara who helped with preparations for the day - not to mention Saturday's additional drama at the end.









HaSS

The Year 7 students in their HaSS classes have been investigating the Ancient Past this term. This has involved researching an ancient civilisation. Mr Pieraccini's class was asked to make a model of something from an ancient civilisation and collect and analyse sources related to the topic. This was part of the students' assessment. They were also required to investigate the significance of the item they chose to model and make draft plans for the model before construction. Most students were excited to make the model and went out of their way to produce an excellent final product. It is clear that there are many budding historians, architects, designers and builders in this class.





Alkimos Excursion

Mr Wilson and Mrs Dix took 17 Year 12 ATAR students to Alkimos on Thursday 30 August. It was nice and brisk as they tried to find some protection from the biting south westerly winds. A warming coffee was welcomed by a number of staff/students at the local cafe.

The students gained lots of information in relation to urban sprawl and the changes to land cover in this area. They also walked into bushland to identify local vegetation patterns.

They checked out the locations of future railway stations and shopping centres, meandering through two shopping centres to check out the variations in functional complexity and the provision of services within the







The Arts

Visual Arts

Maica Bandalan has had a huge year creatively! She has had her work accepted into all major exhibitions - HyperVision, Meta, Young Originals and Emerge. Maica was awarded Highly Commended (basically second place) in the City of Nedlands Emerge Youth Art Awards. She received \$200 prize money. This is a huge achievement as the awards are open to young artists up to 25 years old.



HyperVision

Four Hampton Visual Arts students had their work selected for inclusion in this year's City of Swan HyperVision Exhibition. Young artists from across Perth were asked to respond and explore the theme of "Home". Year 12 students Zahra Alhashimy, Maica Bandalan, Caleb Trueman and Jarrad Del Borrello's work was exhibited at the Midland Junction Arts Centre during the month of July.





Young Originals Exhibition

Hampton SHS had a record five artworks selected for inclusion in this year's Young Originals Exhibition. The exhibition is a group exhibition hosted by Gallery 25 at Edith Cowan University Mount Lawley showcasing the finest public secondary school artwork from across the state. In 2018 judges received 240 entries from a range of metropolitan and country secondary schools across Yeas 7 - 12. Congratulations to Maica Bandalan, Geena Gill, Jovan Couronne, Zahra Alhasminy and Shaylee Kirkup whose works were selected.

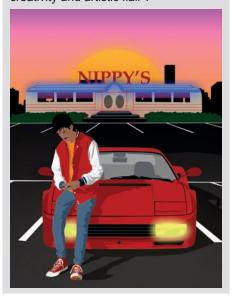






City of Nedlands **Emerge Art Awards**

Six students represented Hampton SHS in this year's Emerge Art Awards with Year 12 Maica Bandalan placing second in the open category and winning \$200. Now in its sixth year Emerge is open to people aged 12 – 25 for two-dimensional works using print, photography, painting, drawing and other methods. The exhibition had grown substantially with last year's awards receiving 169 entries. City of Nedlands Mayor Max Hipkins says the event is a "real opportunity for young people in areas right across the state to get involved and express their creativity and artistic flair".





My Favorite Year

This year's musical production was last performed at Hampton in 2002 when Douglas De Voogt filled the lead role of Benjy. Doug was one of the successful dance students from Hampton who went on to perform in Japan and other musical ventures. He returned to Hampton several years ago and ran a series of dance workshops for our students. He now lives and works in USA. This year we welcomed back Caleb Walcot (Year 12 last year) to fill this role. Along with Jarred Whitehurst, Samantha Freeman. Sam Bourke and Abbie Dorman a cast of new and more seasoned performers entertained the audiences over three evenings in August. Mr Wilson was again the director and pianist and Claire Darling (another former dance student) choreographed the show. Our musical productions continue to be one of the highlights of our school calendar and we thank all of the school community for their continued support.







Shaun Tan Awards

Sarah McKenzie had great success in the Shaun Tan Award for Young Artists. There were over 1500 entries this year and she received 3rd place which is a fantastic achievement! The exhibition was at the Subiaco Library in July and August. Congratulations Sarah!



Project Edge

Project EDGE is run on Wednesdays throughout Term 3 as a free afterschool dance program for Year 4-6 students, it is a targeted initiative to Enable Dance Growth and Extension in the Gifted and Talented Dance program. We had a total of 29 participants this year (27 who performed). This year we changed the format whereby Ms Rock presented an information session on how to apply for the Gifted and Talented Dance program (applications open online for Year 5 students on October 8) followed by a showing of the Project EDGE outcomes and some performances by some of our senior school dance students (Years 11 and 12) By all accounts, the event ran smoothly, the students performed exceptionally well, we had an almost full house and most important of all the primary school participants were fantastic and had a sensational time. They performed a contemporary dance work entitled 'Rollercoaster', inspired by the many rides and games at an amusement park. The work was created in collaboration between the staff and performers and was probably a brilliant piece of marketing for the Royal Show! Thanks to Ashley Nichols and Larah Price (Year 12) who also assisted every week in their own time to mentor and help the primary school students, they were exceptional role models as well as wonderful performers. So much behind the scenes work goes on for initiatives and events like this to operate. We could not do it without the goodwill and generosity of our staff and students.







Cheer

It has been a busy term for the Specialist Cheer/Dance students. They have been working tirelessly on their routines to have them ready for two major competitions.

The AASCF state championships were an absolute success with all students representing the school with pride.

Monarchy Level 1 group stunt = 1st place Royalty Level 2 group stunt = 1st place Sovereigns = 3rd place

The following weekend the Years 9 and 10 students competed again at the CUA Spring State Title competition. Both group stunts hit perfect routines!

Congratulations to all students.



On top of that Miss Flint also competed and her team annihilated the ASCF Cheer competition, winning first place and overall grand champions for Pom, a Pinnicle bid, an NDA bid and a China bid. Ashley Bell is also on that team with Miss Flint. Congratulations to both of them!

Junk Lady

Sarah Halton asked for litter to create this interestina piece of art which we have affectionately called junk lady. Thanks to all who gathered the litter for this colourful creation.



Drama

The Senior Drama Night was held on Friday August 17 in the Performing Arts Centre. The evening highlighted the dramatic acting and script writing achievements of the Years 11 and 12 ATAR Drama students. The original solos were created by the students and represented the culmination of their hard work over the last two years. Eight students performed an interesting programme which was appreciated by those in attendance. These pieces will again be performed by the students for their WACE assessment in October. Congratulations to Dylan Hinkley, Darice Collopy, Eric Lu, Caitlyn Hughes, Samantha Freeman, Abbie Dorman, Brianna Prince-Wright and Jessica

Morley on a wonderful evening's



entertainment.









Senior Dance Night

This was held on Wednesday August 15. A very appreciative audience enjoyed the performances of our senior dance students. The 22 items in the program were choreographed and performed by the students. Most of the items were solo numbers although there were a couple of numbers that had two or three performers.







Design & Technology

Gillam (right) entered the 'Out of the Woods' competition early in Term 3.

Gersom Francisco (left) and Charlie





Product Design Competition

Both students gave up their time after school for three evenings for four weeks in Term 2 in order to complete their designs. The entries were displayed at the Robinson Pavilion, Claremont Showground for three days. Prizes were presented at an awards ceremony on August 5. Sadly, they didn't win any prizes but it was great to see that their work did not look out of place with the top schools. First place was Scotch College (guitar) and third place was St Mary's (stool).

It was great to see Charlie there with her parents for the announcement of winners.

Gersom and Charlie persevered and showed tremendous dedication to the subject and the competition task. Gersom created an innovative chess table that also acts as a feature piece for any living space. Charlie created a coffee table using reclaimed materials, with an acrylic table top so that the design feature of various woods could be seen through. The Product Design department is extremely proud of the work they both have produced.

Thank you to all the staff who popped into the workshop whilst they were working after school. Both students appreciated your support and were encouraged with your positive words. Charlie has taken a particular liking to the course and has been talking to all of her teachers about her product. A special thank you to Ms Fernandes-Ramos for letting Gersom borrow her beautiful chess pieces that worked perfectly with his

As this went to print the pieces were on display in the reception area.

Do you think you could create an innovative design? Do you have the patience to problem solve? Speak to Mrs Garara to find out if you could enter the next competition.

Year 10 Just Desserts

The Year 10 foods classes have been working hard on investigating, designing, planning and creating these beautiful desserts. They managed in two lessons to create these masterpieces all with fabulous feedback on the delicious taste. They have done an excellent job on presentation, flavour and creativity and the results are a testament to their effort.











Year 7 Textiles

Mrs Thomson's Year 7 Textiles class has been experimenting with e-Textiles during Term 3. They have made bag tags that double as a torch and designed creepy critters and magic monsters!









WABIAD

The Write-a-book-in-a-day competition is a nationwide team-based writing and illustrating competition that provides an opportunity for students to work together creatively in mixed year groups - Years 7 - 9, Years 10 - 12 in a supportive and friendly environment with supervision from teachers and support staff. Hampton has participated in this competition for nine years to date and our teams have frequently received commendations and prizes, including winning the competition in 2013. The competition is managed by the Kids' Cancer Project and the WABIAD Advisory Committee. It's a fun way to help a serious issue with money raised going toward funding scientific research for kids with cancer. A genuine sense of belonging and community is one of the main by-products of the day, with students working in groups outside of their immediate year and friendship groups, developing confidence in their skills and their ability to contribute. Such is the enjoyment of the day that all our current Year 12 participating students are keen on returning to go through it all again next year despite impending university and work commitments. Oh, and they also love the free pizza. A truly brilliant day, again. Hard work for all, but brilliant.







Primary STEM Challenge

Over the past five weeks, 32 (mainly Year 5) students from eight primary schools have engaged in the Primary STEM Challenge at Hampton. Students enjoyed the handson experience constructing Lego machines using motors, cogs, pulleys, belts and levers. The final two sessions saw all students competing in the final challenge - the construction of a machine that lifts the most weight from the ground to desk height. The students used specialised Lego, utilising the concepts gained from the previous activities such as the mechanical advantage of gears and pulleys.

The testing was done on the last day, attended by parents, school leaders and STEM education representatives. Students carried their creations to the weighing stations where the lifts were tested by the judges until they broke or the motor was unable to turn any more. The winning group built a lift that could (unassisted) raise more than 750 grams - an incredible effort!

All guests were impressed with the engagement of the students and the high quality of the machines designed and built by the students. The success of the STEM challenge was evident in the high degree of creativity, innovation and synthesis of the concepts displayed in their constructions, and engagement throughout the challenge.

Winner: Mikayla Innes and Georgia Wiese (Eden Hill Primary School)

Runners up: Jasmin Hababag and Harrison Brown (Hampton Park Primary School) Angelino Gibbons and Lithesh Dhanabal (Caversham Primary School)

Engineering Excellence Award winners: Leo Campbell and Kael Telfer (Eden Hill Primary School) Asta Thai and Bailey Franklin (Lockridge Primary School)

Overall an "uplifting" experience for everyone..











Making STEM Work Conference

Hampton was invited to be part of an exhibition of schools demonstrating excellence in STEM education at the Making STEM Work conference on September 17 at Crown. Students Ishani Patel (Year 8) and Tyler Stewart (Year 9) were accompanied by Ms Bravos and Mr Garara to showcase the projects and programs offered at our school. The students did an excellent job communicating with teachers from across WA, explaining what they've been learning and creating in their STEM classes. Student work from the Specialist ICT and Applied Science programs was on display alongside projects from the STEM electives, from Year 7 STEM through to Year 10 F1 in Schools. We had many teachers from both public and private schools comment on the high quality of our programs, as well as the professionalism displayed by our students.

Psychology Excursion

Our Year 12 General Psychology students enjoyed their excursion to Perth Zoo during last term. Though there was a bit of rain, the weather held out and the students were able to enjoy their day at the zoo. The students attended a presentation that explained how classical conditioning and systematic desensitisation are used by the zoo staff to train their animals. This was followed by a number of animal observations that the students documented to provide data for their investigation. The students are to be commended for their engagement and excellent behaviour throughout the day.



Quiz night

On September 1, the Hampton community came together for a Quiz Night in support of the 2019 NASA Trip. Hampton's own Doug Wilson and his co-quiz-master Craig entertained us through the evening between question rounds. The quiz embraced our excitement for NASA with space-related questions scattered through the rounds. Spot prizes were earned by guests brave enough to perform in front of the crowd, including staff members and Hampton alumni. The NASA Team would like to thank all those who attended the evening or supported the event by donating prizes. Thanks to these people, we were able to raise over \$4,000 towards the trip.











In Your Head (Youth Mental Health Forum)

On August 30 Hampton Student Councillors and student leaders attended In Your Head Youth Mental Health Forum at Perth Convention Centre. The one day event covered ways of maintaining good mental health from a range of keynote speakers, panellists and workshop facilitators. Students participated in urban dance classes, slam poetry, social media safety and body confidence and self love workshops.







Follow the Dream

The Follow the Dream program caters to aspirant Indigenous students individuals who aim to be the very best they can be in all aspects of their learning with a view to fulfilling the brightest possible future for themselves. Students are supported with structured one-on-one tutoring, personal study goals and pathway planning, careers guidance and accessing cultural connections.

Our student-in-focus this term is Isabella (Bella) Bonney from Year Seven.

Bella has morphed into the epitome of a model Follow the Dream student. She has attended a minimum of two tutoring sessions per week and has had a structured plan or set of goals embedded within her tutor time. She has demonstrated a focused approach with every session and a high level of responsiveness toward her designated tutor. Another critical driver in the success around Bella



has been support of family who have been tireless in their communication, confirming attendance, arranging transport and providing regular feedback.

Learning outcomes for Bella have been measurable and significant. In her most recent Maths test, for example, the grade she achieved was the highest in the class group - until recently, Maths was a curriculum area Bella found extremely challenging. Another key factor has been the engagement of an extraordinary tutor in Mrs Galbraith. She possesses refined skills in learning intervention - Mathematics being an area of specialty. Bella has thrived within her student/tutor relationship - it has been a joy to observe their work in action!

The most promising aspect of Bella's 'story' pertains to the fact that she is only in Year 7!! By the time she reaches Years 11 and 12, given that she maintains this current pathway, the world will be her oyster. Congratulations Bella on an amazing Term 3

Profile: Utariah Clarke. Hi, I am the new AIEO at Hampton. I am a proud Aboriginal Yawuru Nagula (saltwater) Jarndu (woman) from Rubibi (Broome) but I have lived in Perth my whole life. My dad is Aboriginal and my mum is white, I never really got to know a lot about my big family so after my dad died I relied on my cousins to show me what I was missing out on. I am the youngest of 7 and a proud aunty of 11.



Most of my life I knew something was wrong with me, around Year 7 I realised that I had some form of a learning difficulty. I wasn't very good with English and Maths but that didn't stop me from becoming a book worm or saying 'no' to a robber when I was doing a traineeship in Year 11.All through high school I had the amazing opportunity to do Follow the Dream at Lockridge Senior High School now known as Kiara College. The building we used for FTD was called Ngulla Mia (my place) and it did become my place, it became my second home. I believe if I didn't have the help from the Follow the Dream tutors I don't think I would have graduated high school.

A year before I finished high school I got the opportunity to do traditional Aboriginal dances. We went to high schools, primary schools, teachers' conferences and many more, we were called the 'Locko Dreamers'. I finished school and ended up working for Kiara College as a Special Needs Education Assistant, a Follow the Dream tutor and on top of that I was still dancing but for a different group. I am now so grateful and honoured to be here and I can't wait to see what we can do together to make our kids succeed.

VET News

Taurean and Ethan are really enjoying their Cert II Building & Construction. They could not speak out fast enough about everything they have done! They've built a letter box and are now building profiles. They showed Ms Woodacre how to measure out according to brick size and cutting the angles. Ethan taught Taurean to remember "Tighty righty & lefty Lucy "to operate the drill in the correct direction. So good to see them motivated and smiling! Besides one boy setting fire to Taureans hair they are getting on well with the other boys in the course!





Bushrangers

by Liam Killan

When we got to the camp site we had to get into our new camp groups and put our tents up. Then we had a ½ hour walk to the dinner site and had dinner. I got to ride back in a teacher's car and helped her set up the campfire. When everyone got back we roasted marshmallows on the fire, played 'pass the pigs' and then we went to bed.

In the morning we woke up and had breakfast, then played hunter. We went to the Walyunga National Park and cut down some plants that weren't native to that area. Some friends and I went on a long hike, then we had to walk all the way back to the camp site. We had lunch, packed up and then got on the bus and came back to school.

The part I thought was funny was when we first arrived and on a sign it said "don't camp in this area".





Some of the other activities the bushrangers have been fortunate to experience this term have included visits to the school by a Bird of Prey and some snakes and lizards







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